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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q60187

Keiji SHIGESADA, et al.

Appln. No.: 09/622,360

Group Art Unit: 1722

Confirmation No.: 3575

Examiner: Emmanuel S. LUK

Filed: August 16, 2000

For: INJECTION MOLDING METHOD AND INJECTION MOLD

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136


Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicants hereby petition for an extension of time of three months, extending the time for responding to the Final Office Action of October 21, 2003 to April 21, 2004.

A check for the statutory fee of \$840.00 is attached (which equals to the third month extension fee of \$950.00 minus the one-month extension fee of \$110.00 already paid on February 23, 2004). The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,


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